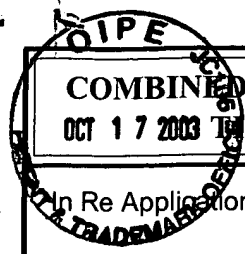


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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
OCT 17 2003 TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
13922

In Re Application Of: **Roger Desmond Drinkwater, et al.**

Serial No.
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Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: August 13, 2003 until: October 13, 2003 (Holiday)
Date *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	18 -	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	7 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$420.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$420.00

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- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☐ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**


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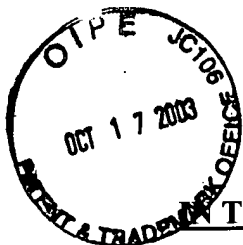
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2003 and in accordance with the provisions in 37 C.F.R. §1.121, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendment for entry in the above-identified case.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

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